Docket No.: 50325-0779

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:)	Group Art Unit No.:	2136
Gopal Dommety, et al)	Examiner: Yalew, F. A.	
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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR RESTRICTING ADDRESS RESOLUTION PROTOCOL TABLE UPDATES))) –)		

Mail Stop Amendment

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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This reply is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed on August 21, 2007, the shortened statutory period for which runs until November 21, 2007. The fee for a one-month extension of time accompanies this Response, allowing Applicants until December 21, 2007 to respond. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration in light of the amendments and remarks herein. Amendments and Remarks are presented on separate sheets beginning on the pages indicated below:

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